



HUBR 1186 (10102735)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Dony, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/806,635  
Filing Date : April 2, 2001  
For : USE OF A MELANOMA INHIBITING ACTIVITY  
FACTOR (MIA) FOR CARTILAGE AND BONE  
REPAIR

May 30, 2002

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SIR:

Enclosed are copies of Applicants Response to the Notification of Defective Declaration  
mailed July 12, 2001 and a copy of a Letter mailed September 28, 2001, along with copies of the  
accompanying documents and the return postcards indicating these documents were received by  
the USPTO. It is respectfully requested that they be entered into the record, as it appears that the  
original submissions have been lost. Any fees due to maintain pendency of this application,  
authorization is granted to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0624.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date Mailed: July 12, 2001 Date Due: July 25, 2001

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF A DEFECTIVE OATH OR DECLARATION AND NOTIFICATION  
OF A DEFECTIVE RESPONSE  
COPY OF NOTICE  
REQUEST FOR THE RECORDAL OF A CHANGE UNDER RULE 92<sup>BIS</sup>  
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SIR:

In response to the Notification of a Defective Oath or Declaration and the Notification of a Defective Response dated June 25, 2001 (copies attached), enclosed is a copy of a Request for the Recordal of a Change under Rule 92<sup>bis</sup> together with a Power of Attorney filed in the parent PCT application. If any fees are due to maintain pendency of this application, authorization is granted to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0624.

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DATUM / DATE

Jul 10, 2001

Patentanmeldung Nr. PCT/EP00/00623  
Use of a melanoma inhibiting activity factor (MIA) for  
cartilage and bone repair

Request for the recordal of a change under rule  
92<sup>bis</sup>:

The name of inventor/applicant for US Ulrike Leser  
has changed to Ulrike Leser-Reiff. Recording of the  
changed name is requested. A Power of Attorney  
form is enclosed.

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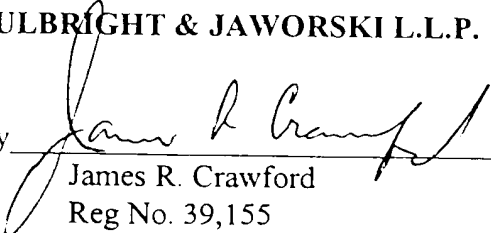
SIR:

Applicants submits herewith the official confirmation of the International bureau that the  
change of name of Ulrike Leser has been recorded.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF THE RECORDING  
OF A CHANGE(PCT Rule 92bis.1 and  
Administrative Instructions, Section 422)

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Date of mailing (day/month/year) 31 August 2001 (31.08.01)	<b>IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION</b>  International filing date (day/month/year) 27 January 2000 (27.01.00)
Applicant's or agent's file reference Case 20311	
International application No. PCT/EP00/00623	

1. The following indications appeared on record concerning:

☒ the applicant      ☒ the inventor      ☐ the agent      ☐ the common representative

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2. The International Bureau hereby notifies the applicant that the following change has been recorded concerning:

☐ the person      ☒ the name      ☐ the address      ☐ the nationality      ☐ the residence

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3. Further observations, if necessary:

4. A copy of this notification has been sent to:

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The International Bureau of WIPO 34, chemin des Colombettes 1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland  Facsimile No.: (41-22) 740.14.35	Authorized officer  Gabriele BAEHR  Telephone No.: (41-22) 338.83.38
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## NOTIFICATION OF A DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

1. ☐ The request for an extension of time (37 CFR 1.136(a)) filed \_\_\_\_\_ is defective because the required fee is missing/insufficient. Extension of time fees are listed at 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5).
2. ☐ Applicant's response filed \_\_\_\_\_ was received in the Office after the expiration of the period for response set in the Office notification mailed \_\_\_\_\_. This application will become abandoned unless applicant obtains an extension of time to reply to the last Office notification under 37 CFR 1.136(a).
3. ☒ Applicant's response filed 04 JUN 2001 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) mailed 27 APRIL 2001 have not been completed.

- ☐ Translation of the international application into English.
- ☐ which is defective for the reasons indicated on the attached Notice of Defective Translation
- ☐ Processing fee (37 CFR 1.492(f))
- ☒ Oath or Declaration of inventors(s).
- ☒ not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for the reasons indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/917.
- ☐ Surcharge (37 CFR 1.492(e)).
- ☐ Sequence Listing
- ☐ not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for the reasons indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/920.
- ☐ Additional claim fees

*If there is a change to INVENTOR LESER ULRICH'S name, please submit the relevant document. I do not have a form IB306 indicating any change.*

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements (Form DO/EO/905), whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements (Form DO/EO/905) may be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communication to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above. (37 CFR 1.5)

Enclosed: ☒ PCT/DO/EO/917 ☐ Notice of Defective Translation

☐ PCT/DO/EO/920 ELI BRIGHT & JAWORSKI, LLP  
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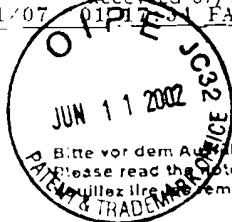
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MAILED: Sept. 28, 2001 DIJE:

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Notification of the Recording of a Change of Name



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